

Year	Class X		Class XII	
	KVS	CBSE	KVS	CBSE
1998	76.8	63.2	79.9	72.6
1999	77.9	64.4	83.1	74.68
2000	77.8	65.4	83.1	76.35

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) and (e) KVS had set for itself a target of Zero Failure for 1996-97 and 97-98. The pass percentage of students of KVS for these two years is shown as under:

Class X		
Year	KVS	CBSE
1996-97	79.11	68.30
1997-98	76.80	63.20

  

Class XII		
Year	KVS	CBSE
1996-97	83.31	78.50
1997-98	79.90	72.60

**Proposal to include Malayalam Language in the syllabus of Kendriya Vidyalaya**

3511. SHRI N.K. PREMACHANDRAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any proposal is pending before the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan to include Malayalam language in the syllabus of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Pattom, Trivandrum; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLIMANO HAR JOSHI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.